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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. AUTHORITY FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE UNIVER-**
2 **SITY AWARD OF DEGREE OF MASTER OF**
3 **SCIENCE IN JOINT CAMPAIGN PLANNING**
4 **AND STRATEGY.**

5 (a) JOINT FORCES STAFF COLLEGE PROGRAM.—

6 Section 2163 of title 10, United States Code, is amended
7 to read as follows:

8 **“§ 2163. National defense university: master of**
9 **science degrees**

10 “(a) AUTHORITY TO AWARD SPECIFIED DEGREES.—

11 The President of the National Defense University, upon
12 the recommendation of the faculty of the respective college
13 or other school within the University, may confer the mas-
14 ter of science degrees specified in subsection (b).

15 “(b) AUTHORIZED DEGREES.—The following degrees
16 may be awarded under subsection (a):

17 “(1) MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NATIONAL SECU-
18 RITY STRATEGY.—The degree of master of science in
19 national security strategy, to graduates of the Uni-
20 versity who fulfill the requirements of the program
21 of the National War College.

22 “(2) MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NATIONAL RE-
23 SOURCE STRATEGY.—The degree of master of
24 science in national resource strategy, to graduates of
25 the University who fulfill the requirements of the

1 program of the Industrial College of the Armed
2 Forces.

3 “(3) MASTER OF SCIENCE IN JOINT CAMPAIGN
4 PLANNING AND STRATEGY.—The degree of master
5 of science in joint campaign planning and strategy,
6 to graduates of the University who fulfill the re-
7 quirements of the program of the Joint Advanced
8 Warfighting School at the Joint Forces Staff Col-
9 lege.

10 “(c) REGULATIONS.—The authority provided by this
11 section shall be exercised under regulations prescribed by
12 the Secretary of Defense.”.

13 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The item relating to
14 section 2163 in the table of sections at the beginning of
15 chapter 108 of such title is amended to read as follows:

“2163. National Defense University: master of science degrees.”.

16 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Paragraph (3) of section
17 2163(b) of title 10, United States Code, as amended by
18 subsection (a), shall take effect for degrees awarded after
19 May 2005.

Passed the House of Representatives June 7, 2005.

Attest:

Clerk.